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HOUSE BILL 1331

AN ACT relative to power line maintenance and construction.

SPONSORS: Rep. Baroody, Hills. 43; Rep. Osborne, Rock. 4

COMMITTEE: Science, Technology and Energy

AMENDED ANALYSIS

This bill allows any New Hampshire utility customer that requires a power line extension located on private property to hire any contractor who is approved by the utility.

Explanation: Matter added to current law appears in bold italics.

Matter removed from current law appears [in brackets and struckthrough.]

Matter which is either (a) all new or (b) repealed and reenacted appears in regular type.

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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

In the Year of Our Lord Two Thousand Twenty Two

AN ACT relative to power line maintenance and construction.

Be it Enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened:

- 1 115:1 Service Equipment of Public Utilities; Installation and Maintenance of Power Lines. Amend
 RSA 370:12 to read as follows:
 3 370:12 Installation of Power Line Extensions. Any New Hampshire utility customer that requires a
 power line extension located on private property may hire a contractor who is [licensed in the state of New
 Hampshire and is] approved by the utility. Such contractor shall supply and install materials specified by
 the local utility for underground and overhead line extensions, the cost of which shall be borne by the
 utility customer.
 - 115:2 Effective Date. This act shall take effect 60 days after its passage.

Approved: May 27, 2022 Effective Date: July 26, 2022